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SUBJECT: VISIT OF RICHARD STUART AND HOWARD FAULKNER,  
USNRC, TO DISCUSS STEAM GENERATOR PERFORMANCE, JUNE 7, 1977

1. SUMMARY: DR. RICHARD STUART, SECTION CHIEF, ENGINEERING  
BRANCH, OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION, AND  
MR. HOWARD FAULKNER, AGREEMENTS COORDINATOR, OFFICE OF  
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS, ARE MEMBERS OF NRC/ACRS TEAM WHICH  
WILL MEET WITH FRG, RSK, IN COLOGNE, MAY 31 - JUNE 3, TO  
DISCUSS RECENT REACTOR SAFETY ISSUES. FOLLOWING THESE  
DISCUSSIONS, STUART AND FAULKNER WOULD LIKE TO VISIT DOEL  
REACTOR FOR DISCUSSIONS ON STEAM GENERATOR PERFORMANCE.  
END SUMMARY.

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2. STUART AND FAULKNER WILL DEPART ZURICH TO ARRIVE BRUSSELS  
AT 22:00 VIA SN 788 ON JUNE 6, MISSION REQUESTED TO  
ARRANGE VISIT TO DOEL REACTOR SITE ON JUNE 7 TO DISCUSS,  
WITH APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS, STEAM GENERATOR PERFORMANCE  
INCLUDING OPERATING PROBLEMS, WATER CHEMISTRY, TUBE LEAKAGE  
AND TUBE PLUGGING. IF CONVENIENT VISITORS WOULD APPRECIATE

PLANT TOUR ALSO.

3. MISSION SHOULD USE OWN DISCRETION IN REQUESTING VISIT  
OF APPROPRIATE OFFICIAL. H. DOPCHIE, ASSOCIATION VINCOTTE,

RHODE-SAINT-GENESE, IS A POSSIBLE CONTACT. NRC HAS  
PROVIDED MUCH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE TO DOPCHIE  
REGARDING DOEL AND TIHANGE REACTOR SAFETY MATTERS IN PAST.

4. PLEASE NOTIFY MISS HERPELS, BELGIUM MINISTRY OF  
FOREIGN AFFAIRS, OF NRC VISIT.

5. FAULKNER NEEDS SINGLE HOTEL ROOM NIGHT OF JUNE 6 AT  
APPROPRIATE LOCATION. HE IS DEPARTING JUNE 7 AT 1820 TO  
PARIS ON SN 645. STUART NEEDS SINGLE ROOM NIGHTS OF JUNE  
6 AND 7. HE DEPARTS FOR U.S. FROM BRUSSELS JUNE 8.

6. PLEASE CONFIRM ARRANGEMENTS AND REPLY NRC, PASS TO  
LAFLEUR. THANK YOU. VANCE

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